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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: MORIYA et al.
Serial No.: 10/043,099
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND ITS PRODUCTION
PROCESS
Group: 2814
Examiner: S. Rao

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

September 6, 2002

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated August 14, 2002, applicants hereby elect the Group I, claims 1-5 and 9-16, without traverse.

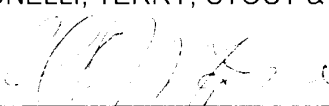
If the Examiner believes that there are any other points which may be clarified or otherwise disposed of, either by telephone discussion or by personal interview, the Examiner is invited to contact applicants' undersigned attorney at the number indicated below.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the

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Respectfully submitted,
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